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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97 AND 1.98**

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, Applicants submit this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98 in the above-identified application for consideration by the Patent Office. This application claims priority to U.S. Prov. Appln. No. 60/272,932, filed March 4, 2001 (expired), U.S. Prov. Appln. No. 60/278,233, filed March 23, 2001 (expired), and U.S. Prov. Appln. No. 60/329,437, filed October 15, 2001 (expired).

A modified Form PTO-1449 listing the cited documents is also enclosed, as well as, for the Examiner's convenience, a copy of the cited document. This Statement is being submitted after the mailing of a first Office Action following submission of a request for continued examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 and is accompanied by the statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e)(1).

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees associated with submission of these documents or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0268.

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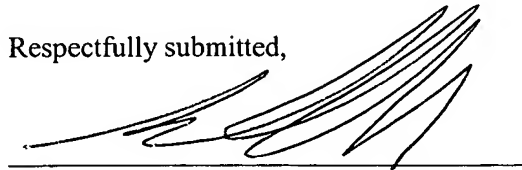
B. Drees, *Current Opinion in Chemical Biology*, 3: 64-70 (1999).

Applicants do not intend to represent that any of the documents listed herein is material prior art to this invention or that the list represents an exhaustive search of documents related to this invention.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e), the undersigned hereby asserts that each item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this information disclosure statement.

Applicants respectfully request that the document submitted herein be considered and made of record in this application.

Respectfully submitted,



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